STATE BOARD OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION



Notice Date: June 1, 2007

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY RECIRCULATED DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT SCH # 2004022025

In compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code § 21000 et seq.) and State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection (Board) procedures, notification is hereby given to responsible and trustee agencies, interest groups and the general public, that the Board has completed, and makes publicly available, a Recirculated Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) for the project described below:

Project Name: Jackson Demonstration State Forest Management Plan

Approximately 76 square miles of forested lands between Willits and Fort Bragg, transected by **Project Location:**

Highway 20 and within the Noyo and Big River watersheds in Mendocino County.

Project Description: The Board of Forestry and Fire Protection is considering adoption of a draft Forest

> Management Plan (draft Plan) for Jackson Demonstration State Forest (JDSF), a State-owned property managed by the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. The property is managed for a variety of benefits, including research and demonstration of forest management

techniques, public recreation, watershed improvement, fisheries and wildlife. This

Recirculated DEIR addresses only the incorporation of another alternative to the original

DEIR.

Potentially Significant Effects of the Project:

Forest management and timber harvesting activities, recreational activities, forest management demonstrations, and collection of minor forest products, unless mitigated. may cause environmental effects, such as noise, traffic, aesthetic degradation, changes in fish and wildlife habitat, soil disturbance, reduction in water quality, and interruption of recreational opportunities. The potential effects of these activities may be limited to the project site itself, areas immediately adjacent to the project, other areas within, or outside JDSF. Measures to avoid, minimize, or otherwise mitigate potential significant impacts have been incorporated into the draft Plan and Recirculated DEIR that reduce those impacts, both individually and cumulatively, to a level considered less than significant.

Public Comment Period:

The Board has initiated a 45 day comment period, which shall begin on June 1, 2007. The public and agencies should focus their comments on the adequacy of the additional alternative stated in the Recirculated DEIR (Title 14 CCR 15088.5(f)(2)) in identifying, analyzing and mitigating the potentially significant environmental effects of adopting the JDSF draft Plan. Comments must be submitted, in writing, by the close of the 45 day comment period, ending on July 16, 2007, at 5P.M. to: Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460; or Fax (916) 653-0989; or emailed to:

JDSFPublicComment@fire.ca.gov

Public Hearing:

The Board will receive public and agency comment, at a public hearing as well as regularly scheduled Board meeting. You may present your comments orally or in writing at the hearing or Board meeting at the time and location identified below:

Public Hearing	Regular Board Meeting
Ukiah, June 20, 2007 9:00 am to 5:00 pm	Fort Bragg, June 7, 2007 9:00 am to Noon
Redwood Empire Fairgrounds	363 North Main Street
1055 North State Street	Town Hall
Ukiah, CA 95482	Fort Bragg, CA

Copies of the Recirculated DEIR on compact disk (CD) may be obtained, free of charge, by contacting the Board at:
Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460; Tel: (916) 653-8007
or by viewing and downloading the document from the Board's internet website at:

http://www.fire.ca.gov/rsrc-mgt_jackson_deir_2005.php

Paper copies of the Recirculated DEIR will be available for reproduction and purchase from the following locations:

Ace Copy & Shipping	Creative Workshop Printing & Copying
Att: Martin Rodriguez	Att: Kathy Davidson
889 South Main Street	759 South State Street
Willits, CA 95490	Ukiah, CA 95482
707-456-9800	707-468-0251 or 800-694-9999

The Recirculated DEIR will be available for review during normal office hours at the following offices:

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Board of Forestry and Fire	CDF – Coast Region HQ	CDF- JDSF HQ	Mendocino Unit HQ	
Protection	135 Ridgway Avenue	802 North Main Street	17501 N. Highway 101	
1416 9th Street, Room 1506-14	Santa Rosa, CA 95401	Ft. Bragg, CA 95437	Willits, CA 95490	
Sacramento, CA 95814				
(916) 653-8007	(707) 576- 2275	(707) 964-5674	(707) 459-7452	

The Recirculated DEIR will be available for review at the following local public libraries:

Ukiah Library	Mendocino Library	Mendocino Co. Library	Willits Library	Sonoma Co. Library
105 N. Main St.	10591 William St.	Fort Bragg Branch	390 E. Commercial St.	Third & E Streets
Ukiah, CA 95482	Mendocino, CA 95460	499 Laurel St.	Willits, CA 95490	Santa Rosa, CA 95404
707-463-4491	707-937-5773	Fort Bragg, CA 95437	707-459-5908	(707) 545-0831
		(707)964-2020		,

The Recirculated DEIR is also available for review at the following University and State libraries:

- 1. Marian Koshland Bioscience and Natural Resources Library 2101 Valley Life Sciences Building # 6500 University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA. 94720-6500
- 2. Robert E. Kennedy Library 1 Grand Avenue Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo San Luis Obispo, CA 93407 USA
- 3. The Library One Harpst St. Humboldt State University Arcata, California 95521-8299
- 4. California State Archives, 1020 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 California State Archives to receive two copies of both monographs and serials.
- 5. California State Library, Government Publications Section, P.O. Box 942837, Sacramento, CA 94237-0001 (IMS: 914 Capitol Mall, E-29) California State Library to receive three copies of monographs and two copies of annual reports and periodicals.
- 6. California State University, Chico, Merriam Library, Government Publications Dept., Chico, CA 95929-0295
- 7. Council of State Governments, P.O. Box 11910, Lexington, KY, 40578-1910 Council of State Governments to receive one copy.
- 8. Fresno County Free Library, Government Publications, 2420 Mariposa St., Fresno, CA 93721-2285
- 9. Library of Congress, Anglo-American Acquisition Division, Government Documents Section, 101 Independence Ave S.E., Washington, D.C., 20540-4172 **Library of Congress to receive two copies of monographs and serials.**
- 10. Los Angeles Public Library, Serials Division, 630 W. Fifth St., Los Angeles, CA 90071-2002
- 11. San Diego Public Library, Science and Industry Department, 820 E St., San Diego, CA 92101-6478
- 12. San Diego State University, Malcolm A. Love Library, Government Publications & Maps Division, 5500 Campanile Drive, San Diego, CA 92182-8050
- 13. San Francisco Public Library, Government Information Center, 100 Larkin St., San Francisco, CA 94102
- 15. Green Library, Receiving, Stanford University Libraries, 557 Escondido Mall, Stanford, CA 94035
- 16. University of California, Berkeley, Government Documents Technical Services, 250 Moffitt Library, Berkeley, CA 94720-6000
- 17. University of California, Davis, Shields Library, Government Information and Maps Department, Davis, CA 95616-5224
- 18. University of California, Los Angeles, Reference & Instructional Services Department, Young Research Library A4510, PO Box 951575, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1575
- 19. University of California, San Diego, Government Documents Unit, 9500 Gilman Drive 0175P, La Jolla, CA 92093-0175
- 20. University of California, Santa Barbara, Library, Serials Receiving, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9010